

Dear FCC,

I am gravely concerned about Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election.

The airwaves belong to the public, and Sinclair uses them free of charge. They undermine our democracy if they are allowed to engage in one-sided propaganda dissemination. They are in violation of campaign reform laws. They are, in addition, obligated by law to serve the public interest - it is NOT in the public's interest to broadcast a negative, slanderous, so-called "documentary". This "Stolen Honor" is nothing but an anti-Kerry smear attack, disguised as news.

Sinclair's actions show why media ownership rules need to be strengthened - concentration of ownership threatens the existence of a broadly informed citizenry, without which democracy is doomed.

Thank you - please, stop Sinclair!  
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